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- 685 — 1746 Bust r., and radiant sun. *Ecija*. Silver; v. fine. 18. H 7..... 3 00
- 686 — 1746 Bust r. and arms. *Gerona*. Silver; cast, fine. 16. H 8..... 2 50
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- 692 — 1746 Same. Brass gilt; v. fine..... 1 00
- 693 — 1746 Same. Bronze; uncir..... 1 00
- 694 Same. 1746 Bust r. Rev. Lion grasping a sceptre. *Zaragoza*. Silver; v. fine, thick. 18. H 32..... 3 00
- 695 — 1747 Bust r. Rev. Crowned shield bearing two ships between two small crowned pillars, N. C. PANAMENSIS TE AMAT CORDE TE CLAMAT ORE. *Panama*. Silver; cast, pierced; v. fine. 22. H 52..... 10 00
- 696 CHARLES III. 1759. Bust r. Rev. A horse before a city. *Barcelona*. Silver; cast, v. fine. 20. H 6..... 3 00
- 697 — 1759 Bust r. Rev. King's bust facing, turrets at sides. *Burgos*. Billon; good. 17. H 8..... 2 00
- 698 — 1759 Bust r. Rev. Hercules grasping a lion by each hand, advances between two crowned pillars. *Cadiz*. Silver; v. fine. 21. H 9..... 5 00
- 699 — 1759 Head r. Rev. A stag held captive at a column. *Cervera*. Silver; cast, fine. 12. H 12..... 3 00
- 700 — 1759 Bust r. Rev. Pomegranate between F Y., surmounted by three crowns. *Granada*. Silver; cast, fine. 20. H 17..... 4 00
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- 702 — 1759 Bust r. Rev. Spain in the guise of Pallas. *Madrid*. Silver; v. fine. 23. H 25..... 4 00
- 703 — 1759 Bust r. Rev. POR LA PLATERIA DE MALAGA. Silver; cast, fine. 12. H 28..... 2 00
- 704 — 1759 Head r., and arms. *Palma de Mallorca*. Silver; fine. 8. H 34..... 1 50
- 705 — 1759 Bust r. Rev. Bull at foot of a tower, star above. *Sanlucar de Barrameda*. Silver; cast, v. fine. 20. H 38..... 5 00
- 706 — 1759 Bust r. Rev. San Fernando and two other saints. *Sevilla*. Bronze; v. fine. 22. H 40..... 1 00
- 707 — 1759 Similar to last. Silver; v. fine. 21. H 41..... 3 00
- 708 — 1759 Bust r. Rev. Blazing star, receding star to l. *Zaragoza*. Silver; uncir. 17. H 48..... 2 50
- 709 — 1760 Bust r. Rev. Knight on horseback over two conical mountains. *Guatemala*. Silver; good, pierced. 13. H 63..... 2 00
- 710 — 1760 Similar to last. Silver; v. fine. 10. H 64..... 2 50
- 711 — 1760 Bust r. Rev. Three towers and key, GONZALO REZIO ET AEQVENDO HABANA. *Havana*. Silver; cast, v. good, pierced. 20. H 66..... 8 00
- 712 — 1760 Bust r. Rev. Crowned double-headed eagle, an escutcheon on his breast, between two crowned pillars. *Lima*. Silver; uncir., crown size. H 71..... 3 00
- 713 — 1760 Bust r. ANTIQ. ET. NOV. HISPAN. REX MEXI. PROCL. name of governor under bust. Rev. Eagle grasping

- a branch of nopal, on tower placed upon a bridge of three arches, a lion at each side. *Mexico*. Leaf-work on edge. Silver; v. fine, pierced. 22. Similar to H 75..... 8 00
- 714 Without ruler's name. **A** over 1754. Rev. Shield bearing the letters **S M** over a crown, **ACAED. M. S. M. URB. REG. IN PERU**. Leaf-work on edge. Silver; v. fine. 19. Not in H..... 7 50
- 715 CHARLES IV. 1789. Bust r. Rev. Blooming lilies in vase between tower and lion. *Antequera*. Silver; uncir. 17. H 8..... 2 00
- 716 — 1789 Same. Copper; fine..... 75
- 717 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. Hercules before altar. *Barcelona*. Silver; uncir. 19. H 11..... 2 50
- 718 — 1789 Same. Copper; good..... 50
- 719 — 1789 Arms crowned and inscr. *Borja*. Silver; fine. 14. H 15..... 2 50
- 720 — 1789 Flag inscribed **BURGOS** and wreath of laurel and palm. Silver; uncir. 17. H 17..... 3 00
- 721 — 1789 Crowned arms and inscription. *Cadiz*. Silver; thick pl., proof. 17. H 18..... 2 50
- 722 — 1789 Similar to last, but size 12. H 19..... 1 00
- 723 — 1789 Knight on horseback charging r., and inscr. *Calatayud*. Silver; cast, fine. 18. H 20..... 4 00
- 724 — 1789 Bust r., and blazing star. *Carmona*. Silver; fine. 18. H 22..... 3 00
- 725 — 1789 Same. Bronze; uncirculated... 1 00
- 726 — 1789 Head r., and a stag facing ship near shore. *Cervera*. Silver; cast, fine. 14. H 26..... 3 00
- 727 — 1789 Bust r., and blazing sun. *Ecija*. Silver; thick, uncir. 16. H 30..... 2 00
- 728 — 1789 Same. Bronze; v. fine..... 75
- 729 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. **PROCL GERVN. Gerona**. Silver; proof. 10. H 33... 2 00
- 730 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. A pomegranate between **F** and **Y**, surmounted by three crowns. *Granada*. Silver; cast, v. fine. 22. H 40..... 8 00
- 731 — 1789 Similar to last, but size 18. Silver; cast, uncirculated. H 42..... 6 00
- 732 — 1789 Similar; size 15. Silver; cast, fine. H 43..... 2 50
- 733 — 1789 Bow and three arrows. Rev. Inscription. *Guadix*. Silver; cast, fine. 15. H 45..... 5 00
- 734 — 1789 Arms crowned and inscr. *Jaca*. Silver; cast, v. fine. 13. H 48..... 7 00
- 735 1789 Bust r., and oval shield of arms. *Jerez de la Frontera*. Bronze, uncir. 20. H 50..... 1 50
- 736 — 1789 Same. Silver; nearly proof.... 3 50
- 737 — 1789 Similar, but size 16. Bronze; uncir. H 52..... 1 00
- 738 — 1789 Bust r., and horseman r. *Jerez*. Silver; cast, fine. 16. H 57..... 3 00
- 739 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. **ACCLA ILERD. Lerida**. Silver; v. fine. 10. H 59... 1 75
- 740 — 1789 Bust laureate in armor, r. Rev. Group of nobles on platform proclaiming the advent of Charles IV, burghers, a horse to l. *Madrid*. Silver; nearly proof. 35. H 62..... 10 00
- 741 — 1789 Head r. Rev. Spain, resting on pennon and shield. *Madrid*. Silver; nearly proof. 24. H 63..... 3 00
- 742 — 1789 Arms and inscr. *Madrid*. Silver; v. fine. 9. H 66..... 50
- 743 — 1789 Similar to last. *Madrid*. Gold; proof. 9. H 67..... 2 50
- 744 — 1789 Small bust r. Rev. Shore of island at sunrise, ship l. **BALEARIS MINOR. Mahon**. Silver; v. fine. 17. H 68..... 3 00
- 745 — 1789 Head r., and crowned shield. **MAHO. Mahon**. Silver; v. fine. 11. H 69..... 1 50
- 746 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. View of port with fortress. *Malaga*. Silver; uncir. 20. H 71..... 4 00
- 747 — Same. Bronze; uncir..... 1 00
- 748 — 1789 Similar, but size 13. Silver; v. fine. H 73..... 1 50
- 749 — Others. Cop (2) and bronze; uncir... 50
- 750 — 1789 Bust r., and heart-shaped shield, surrounded by seven crowns. *Murcia*. Silver; nearly proof. 18. H 77..... 2 50
- 751 — Similar, but size 14. Uncir. H 78... 2 00
- 752 — 1789 Large bust r., and crowned shield. *Palma de Mallorca*. Silver; uncir. 16. H 82..... 2 50
- 753 — 1789 Small bust r., and crowned shield. *Palma de Mallorca*. Silver; uncir. 16. H 83..... 2 50
- 754 — 1789 Monogram and inscr. *Palma de Mallorca*. Silver; uncir. 10. H 85... 1 25
- 755 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. Fortress rising from the sea, above which Mary with infant Jesus stands. *Puerto de Santa Maria*. Silver; v. fine. 20. H 86... 5 00
- 756 — 1789 Crowned arms and **PORTUS REGALIS** in wreath. *Puerto Real*. Silver; uncir. 17. H 87..... 2 50
- 757 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. Three arrows between two pillars, bow above. *Ronda*. Silver; uncir. 17. H 89..... 3 00
- 758 — 1789 Crowned arms and inscr. *Sadava*. Silver; fine. 14. H 90..... 2 00
- 759 — Same. Copper; v. fair..... 40
- 760 — 1789 Crowned arms. Rev. Winged bull of St. Lucas at the foot of a tower, surmounted by a star. *San Lucas de Barameda*. Silver; uncir. 20. H 91..... 3 50
- 761 — Same. Copper; uncir..... 1 25
- 762 — 1789 Bust facing. Rev. Three naked youths holding palm-leaves and a garland. *Sevilla Academy*. Bronze; uncir. 27. H 96..... 1 50
- 763 — 1789 Inscription and radiant sun. *St. Thomas College, Sevilla*. Silver; uncir. 17. H 98..... 1 50

764	— 1789 Same. Bronze; fine.....	50	788	— Same. Bronze; uncir.....	2 50
765	Same. 1789 Bust r., and inscr. <i>Sevilla University</i> . Silver; v. fine. 16. H 97..	1 50	789	— 1790 Busts jugata of king and queen. Rev. Composite shield, crowned. Issued by the Marquis de San Juan de Ravas. <i>Guanahuato</i> . Silver; v. good. 29. H 143.....	7 50
766	— Same. Bronze; uncir.....	50	790	— Same. Bronze; v. fine.....	2 00
767	— 1789 Bust jugata of king and queen. Rev. Spain, with pennon and shield. <i>Soria</i> . Silver; uncir. 29. H 100...	6 00	791	— 1790 Bust r. Rev. Interior view of a mine, with men at work, etc. RECLAMADO EN LA C DE GUANAHUATO POR SUS LEALES MINEROS. Medallie mining double crown; v. fine. 30. H 144...	8 00
768	— Similar, but size 19. Uncir. H 101..	2 25	792	— Same. Struck in copper; uncir....	2 50
769	— 1789 Busts jugata. Rev. Castle of three towers. <i>Soria</i> . Silver; uncir. 12. H 102	75	793	— Same. Struck in yellow bronze; uncir.	2 00
770	— 1789 Bust r. Rev. Guardian angel on mountain peak, between a tower and a lion. <i>Tenerife</i> . Silver; cast. v. fine, pierced. H 105.....	5 00	794	— 1789 Bust r. Rev. Cavalier l., over two conical mountains, in ornamented shield. Proclamation 4 reales. <i>Guatemala</i> . Fine, pierced.....	5 00
771	— 1789 Bust r. Rev. Crowned lozenge-shaped shield. <i>Valencia</i> . Silver; proof. 16. H 107.....	2 00	795	— 1789 Similar. 2 reales; fine, pierced. H 146.....	3 00
772	— 1789 Inscription and monogram under crown. <i>Valencia</i> . Silver; proof. 12. H 109.....	1 00	796	— 1789 Similar; real, uncir. H 147....	3 00
773	— 1789 Double C in monog. crowned, and inscr. <i>Valencia College</i> . Silver; v. fine. 11. H 111.....	1 50	797	— 1789 Bust r. Rev. Three castles over crossed keys; MIGUEL CIRIACO ARANGO HABANA. <i>Havana</i> . Silver; cast. fine. 18. H 150.....	7 50
774	— 1789 Crowned shield and inscr. <i>Zaragoza</i> . Silver; fine. 17. H 115....	1 50	798	— 1790 Bust r. Rev. Mountain formed of fragments of rock, surmounted by globe and cross. <i>Huancavelica</i> . Silver; nearly proof, leaf work on edge. 23. H 153.....	5 00
775	— 1790 Crowned arms in wreath; PROCAMADO EN CAMPECHE POR JUAN PEDRO YTURALDE. Rev. Inscr. under blazing star. <i>Campeche</i> . Ornamented edge, silver, uncir. 25. H 122.....	7 00	799	— 1789 Large bust r. Rev. Double-headed eagle, triple crown between pillars, on each side of which is a peak surmounted by globe and cross, the whole supported by four towers, an arm and human heads below, etc. Proclamation crown, leaf work on edge. <i>La Plata</i> . V. fine. H 155.....	5 00
776	— 1790 Similar, but size 18. Cop., unc. H 123.....	1 50	800	— 1789 Composite shield, crowned. Rev. Crowned double-headed eagle, an escutcheon on his breast, between crowned pillars. Procl. half-crown. <i>Lima</i> . V. fine. H 156.....	2 50
777	— 1790 Bust r. Rev. Cap on altar in radiant circle. V. PAROCUS JUDEX ECCUS ET CLERUS CHIHUAHU. <i>Chihuahua</i> . Bronze; fine. 29. H 128..	4 00	801	— 1789 Large bust r. Rev. Crowned shield supported by eagle grasping arrows. <i>Mexico</i> . Silver; nearly proof. 29. H 160.....	7 50
778	— 1789 Bust r. Rev. Lion rampant in crowned shield; OPTIMO IMPERAT JUS JURAND SENAT POPUL. Q. CHILENSIS. <i>Chile</i> . Broad proclamation crown; uncir. H 129.....	5 00	802	— Same. Struck in cop.; uncir.....	2 00
779	— 1789 Bust r., same as last. Rev. Two Indians, one with bow and arrow, the other with lance, llama to r. <i>Chile</i> . Broad proclamation crown; uncir. H 130	5 00	803	— 1789 Crowned composite shield between crowned pillars. Rev. PROCLAMADO EN MEXICO in wreath of laurel, chain on edge; crown size; pr'f. H 161	5 00
780	— Same. Struck in cop.; uncir.....	1 50	804	— Same. In bronzed cop.; uncir.....	2 00
781	— 1789 Large bust r. Rev. Lion rampant in shield, border of human heads. <i>Chochabamba</i> . Silver; cast, fine, pierced, crown size. H 131.....	6 00	805	— Similar. Proc. h'lf crown; fine. H 162	2 50
782	— 1790 Bust r. Rev. Crowned shield between palm-branches, IMPERATOR INDIARUM NOVAE, etc. <i>Durango</i> . Silver; uncir., thick. 24. H 132.....	7 50	806	— Similar. Procl. 2 reales; nearly proof. H 163.....	2 00
783	— Same. Cop.; uncir.....	1 50	807	— Same. Struck in cop.; uncir.....	1 00
784	— Same. Yellow bronze; uncir.....	1 25	808	— Similar. Procl. real; uncir. H 164.	1 00
785	— Bust r. Rev. Two shields under a bishop's hat. <i>Guadalajara</i> . Silver proof. 25. H 137.....	8 00	809	— Same. Struck in cop.; uncir.....	50
786	— Same. Bronze; uncirculated.....	2 50	810	— Similar. Procl. medio real; uncir. H 165	1 00
787	— 1790 Bust r., EMPERADOR DE LOS YND. Rev. Figure of Faith, with beacon light and cross, in crowned ornamental shield. <i>Guanahuato</i> . Silver; uncir. 30. H 142.....	10 00	811	— Same. Like preceding, but struck in cop.; uncir.....	5 00
			812	— 1789 Bust of king r. ARCH. MEX. Rev. Bust of queen l. <i>Mexico</i> . Cop.; uncir. 27. H 166.....	2 50

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TO OUR READERS.

THE new responsibilities we have assumed in taking charge of an important department with the honorable and well known firm of Auctioneers, Geo. A. Leavitt & Co., and the increasing demand made upon our time, requiring us to devote every spare moment to catalogues, besides our large Coin business, make it questionable if we shall be able to continue the publication of *Numisma*, at least in its present form; and we have in fact, decided to close with the present number a serial which during the nine years of its publication, has properly, perhaps, been considered as the special organ of American amateur coin collectors.

With our readers we have had the most pleasant intercourse. Some whose names appear as subscribers to Vol. I, have continued on our list, and are still upon it, their subscriptions paid up in full; others have been with us so long as their interest in the subject continued; a few after subscribing, have neglected to pay up; if the latter think that *Numisma* has been worth 50 cents a year to them, we shall be pleased and thankful to be able to send them a receipt in full; if not, let them be assured that they will never be troubled with dunning letters from us.

We have constantly extended to our fellow dealers the courtesy of timely announcements of their sales, and fair and favorable reviews afterwards, without ever expecting a word of thanks, but if it came, it was all the more appreciated. If the methods of a few have at times been criticised by us, it was because criticism was invited, a criticism which could often have been made much sharper, if not ruinous, while yet keeping within the exact bounds of truth.

Our principal aim has been to disseminate correct information especially on the subject of American coinage; nearly all the articles published were original. In fact we now look back upon the last nine years as the most active and laborious, though not the most successful part of our life. The statement may seem strange to some, but most coin dealers will agree with us when we say that no business has greater claim upon one's time, and none requires more unceasing activity and attention than that of a coin dealer, and if to that you add say five hours per day of other distinct occupations, besides the regular publication of a numismatic bi-monthly, it must be granted that very little time is left either for recreation, reading, or study.

Numisma will hereafter be published at irregular intervals about four times per year, as a medium for the sale of collections, which their owners do not wish to sell through the regular public sales, on a plan somewhat similar to Thieme's list published at Leipzig. The subscription price will continue at 50 cents, a very small amount, when it is considered that by this means collectors often save five and ten times what they would otherwise have to pay, not to speak of the purchasing commissions, and the risk of not obtaining the coin wanted.

To those who want a paper devoted strictly to Numismatic literature and the current news of sales, etc., we warmly recommend the "American Journal of Numismatics," published at \$2.00 per annum, at Boston, Mass. This has always been, is now, and probably will be for many years, the most advanced, temperate, reliable and interesting of all American publications on Numismatic subjects.

THE origin of that wonderful 1804 dollar becomes more clearly distinguished as time advances. J. N. T. Levick authorizes us to say that one was offered him in 1869, but he "took no stock in it" because he saw at a glance that it was a restrike; a former collector who called at our office, stated that he saw and could easily have obtained one at the time, but he would not buy. Old Philadelphia dealers say that the

number offered at sales bears no comparison to the number privately offered and sold, and that the supply from the old woman's hoard down in Jersey is by no means exhausted.

It is now also positively known that dollars of 1801, 1802, and 1803 were restruck by the same parties who restruck the 1804 dollar. These were called "proofs from abroad," and found a ready sale among collectors.

NOTES ON THE ISSUES OF POSTAGE AND FRACTIONAL CURRENCY.

COMPILED BY ED. FROSSARD FROM OFFICIAL INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT AND OTHER SOURCES.

SOON after the outbreak of the Southern Rebellion in 1861, the exigencies of a largely increasing trade and a public distrust in the ability of the country to bear the immense financial burdens imposed upon it by the constantly increasing expenditures of the U. S. Government, led to a rapid disappearance from circulation of the current gold and silver coins and a consequent appreciation of their value. At first the larger denominations only were withdrawn, then the dimes, half dimes, and finally the copper cents disappeared, so that during the first six months of 1862 no small change of any sort could be obtained except with great inconvenience or by purchasing the same at a premium from brokers and merchants.

A partial relief to this extraordinary condition was found in the use of U. S. postage stamps, which, during the summer of 1862, were paid out and accepted in payment for all small sums. For the purpose of avoiding their loss or damage by handling, and for convenience in quickly making the necessary change, a large number of corporations, firms and individuals placed postage stamps in small envelopes, stamped with their name and the amount of stamps contained, and in this form postage stamps circulated largely, especially in New York and other large cities. Other firms issued stamps inclosed in metallic cases, stamped with names or advertisements and

facings of mica or other transparent substances. A large number of these were issued, and are now assiduously collected, both by stamp and coin collectors.

In a country where public wants are quickly felt and promptly supplied by public or private enterprise, this make-shift could not continue long, and Congress came to the relief of the public by authorizing the issue of "Postage Stamp Notes," or "Postal Currency," established by the Act of July 17, 1862, of which notes of 5, 10, 25 and 50 cents were issued to the amount of \$20,215,635.

The Postage Currency was printed in sheets which at first were perforated for convenience in separating the notes; but the demand for the currency was so great that in order to save time the perforation was afterwards omitted, and the notes either issued in sheets or cut up into notes with shears, until the separating machines came into use. The American Bank Note Co. engraved the plates, and, at first, executed the printing of the "Postage Currency"; subsequently a portion of the work was done by the "National Bank Note Company" from the same plates: this Company erased the cipher "*A. B. Co.*" Under the Act of March 3, 1863, Fractional Currency was issued in lieu of "Postage Currency," and its issue continued, with several marked modifications of design, color and size, until finally relinquished in 1876. These modifications form in themselves four distinct issues, denominated the 2d, 3d, 4th and 5th.

Of the second issue, notes of 5, 10, 25 and 50 cents were issued amounting to \$23,164,483.65, between Oct. 10, 1863, and Feb. 23, 1867.

Of the third issue, notes of 3, 5, 10, 15, 25 and 50 cents to the amount of \$86,115,028.80 were issued between December 5, 1864, and April 16, 1869.

Of the fourth issue, notes of 10, 15, 25 and 50 cents to the amount of \$176,567,032.00, were issued between July 14, 1869, and Feb. 16, 1875.

Of the fifth issue, notes of 10, 25 and 50 cents to the amount of \$62,661,900.00, were issued between February 26th, 1874, and February 15, 1876, when the issue finally ceased.

Of the Fractional Currency a total of \$348,508,444.45, was issued beginning with October 10, 1863, and ending February 15, 1876, making with the Postage Currency a grand total of \$368,724,079.45, for the entire issues.

The gilt letters and figures on the backs of a portion of the notes of the second issue were intended to indicate the year of the issue, the number of the plate, and (by the letter) the location of the note on the plate. This was continued on a part of the third issue, the year being indicated by "64" and "65." This was however soon abandoned, but on the later issues the number of the plate and the letter indicating the location of the note on the plate, appear. These combinations were used as checks and for the better regulation of the work; they cannot, therefore, be considered as forming varieties of notes, and each different combination of letter and numbers in a collection should not be considered as forming a variety.

The notes of the third issue with red backs were printed as specimens only; the regular issue were all printed with green backs; a number of both kinds were signed by the Treasurer merely for use as specimens. Paper of thicker tissue than usual was at one time experimented with; there was no other object in using it.

Various shades of the same color are found in every issue. These not forming varieties proper, should not be so considered by collectors.

The Act of March 3, 1865, provided for the coinage of the three cent nickel, and prohibited the further issue of Fractional Currency of a denomination less than five cents; the Act of May 16, 1866, which provided for the coinage of the five cent nickel, prohibited the issue of fractional notes of a denomination less than ten cents.

The fifteen cent notes, with vignettes of Generals Grant and Sherman, were prepared early in 1866: the use of portraits of living persons on notes or bonds of the United States, was prohibited by an Act of Congress, of April 7, 1866 (now Sec. 3576 of the Revised Statutes), and the issue of this denomination was abandoned until several years later.

The issue of Fractional Currency ceased February 15, 1876, the appropriation for printing the same having been exhausted. The Act of April 17, 1876, "to provide for a deficiency in the printing and engraving bureau," etc., provided for the issue of fractional silver coin in redemption and substitution of the Fractional Currency "until the whole amount of fractional currency outstanding shall be redeemed."

F. E. Spinner was Treasurer of the United States from March 16, 1861, to June 30, 1875, and John C. New from June 30, 1875, to July 7, 1876. S. B. Colby was Registrar of the Treasury from August 11, 1864, to September 21, 1867; N. L. Jeffries from October 5, 1867, to March 15, 1869, and John Allison from April 3, 1869, to March 23, 1878.



NUMISMATIC PUBLICATIONS, ETC.

The Money and Medals of Canada under the Old Régime, by R. W. McLachlan.

AN interesting and carefully written 27 pp., 8vo. pamphlet, giving an historical sketch of the paper and metallic currencies circulating in Canada under the French régime, and a detailed description of all the medals and coins, including the now famous Franco-American Jetons, known to Mr. McLachlan, or in his cabinet.

In connection with the same subject we have received from M. E. Zay of Paris, copies of the numbers of the *Revue Numismatique*, in which he published his *Notice sur quelques monnaies des Colonies françaises*, giving copies of the various edicts and patents under which these coinages were issued, embracing the $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ crowns of 1680, the so-called Louisiana cents etc. Since writing his article Monsieur Zay has kindly communicated to us the following information, which will no doubt be duly appreciated by our American friends:

PARIS, 8 Sept., 1885.

Monsieur,

Dans la "Notice sur quelques Monnaies des Colonies françaises" que j'ai eu l'honneur de vous adresser, vous avez pu remarquer que j'ai élucidé la question des pièces de 5 et 15 sous de Louis XIV jusqu'ici classées au Canada seulement et qui ont été émises pour toutes les possessions françaises en Amérique. Dans une précédente

notice, aujourd'hui épuisée, j'ai également établi l'origine de la pièce de cuivre au C couronné, sans légende au revers, jusqu'ici indécise (voyez Maillet, Hoffman, Fonrobert) et qui a été frappée pour toutes les Colonies françaises. Ces particularités jusqu'alors ignorées, devraient être portées à la connaissance des collectionneurs américains par la voie de votre "Numisma."

This coin with the crowned C and several others which Monsieur Zay likewise ascribed to America, will be offered at auction by us in our next coin sale to take place in March.

Vade Mecum du Collectionneur par Jos. Leroux, M. D., Montreal, 1885. 8vo, 94 pp. and plates of many alphabets and characters. The text is in French and English, and comprises monetary denominations of all countries, alphabetically arranged; inscriptions found on coins, mint-marks, numbers in different languages, making on the whole a work of extreme usefulness to the general collector who has not time or opportunity to consult special authorities.

COIN SALES.

July 16, 17. Coins of the Orient. Fifteen hundred selected examples of the coinages of Asia and Africa. 1083 lots. Catalogue by Ed. Frossard; sold at Geo. A. Leavitt & Co.'s, New York. A special edition, illustrated with four fine heliotype plates, was issued. A few copies, priced, can still be had from the compiler. Proceeds, \$890.77.

July 24. U. S. Dollars, Half Dollars, Coins, Postage Stamps, Autographs, etc. 408 lots. Catalogue by Ed. Frossard (45th sale); sold at G. A. Leavitt & Co.'s, N. Y. Proceeds, \$510.

September 15, 16, 17. The J. Colvin Randall collection. Part II, comprising a large number of coins from this extensive cabinet necessarily omitted from Part I. 1839 lots. Catalogue by W. E. Woodward (78th sale); sold at Bangs & Co.'s, N. Y.

September 18. Mr. Harlow E. Woodward's collection of Revenue and Postage Stamps, Paper Money, etc. 679 lots. Catalogue by W. E. Woodward (79th sale); sold at Bangs & Co.'s, N. Y.

September 24, 25. Collection of rare American and Foreign Postage Stamps, U. S. Envelopes, etc. 833 lots. Catalogue by Ed. Frossard; sold at Geo. A. Leavitt & Co.'s. Proceeds, \$1,064.26. A special edition, one helio-

type plate issued, of which none remain unsold. This was, on the whole, a very successful sale, and we hope soon again to have the opportunity of issuing a still more important catalogue of Postage Stamps.

October 16. The Hon. Geo. M. Parsons's collection of Franco-American Coins and Medals; also rare foreign silver coins, fine American coins, etc. 508 lots. Catalogue by Ed. Frossard; sold at Geo. A. Leavitt & Co.'s, N. Y. Nearly all the fine and rare Franco-American coins and medals being illustrated in Mr. Parsons's pamphlet on the subject, no plates were added to the catalogue, but a few thick paper copies, priced, can still be had at 25 cents each.

October 19, 20. Catalogue of the American-Indian Collection of the late Mr. John H. McIlvain, of Philadelphia. 428 lots. Catalogue by John W. Haseltine (87th sale); sold at Thomas Birch's Sons, Philadelphia.

October 21, 22, 23. Catalogue of American and Foreign Coins and Medals of George M. Wiswell, Esq., of West Troy, N. Y., to which several important invoices were added. 1581 lots. Catalogue by H. G. Sampson; sold at Bangs & Co.'s, N. Y.

October 30. Catalogue of two collections of United States and Foreign Coins, Medals, Paper Money, Stamps, etc. 577 lots. Catalogue by Charles Steigerwalt; sold by Thomas & Sons, Philadelphia.

November 6. The German Collection of Ancient and Modern Coins. 584 lots. Catalogue by H. P. Smith; sold at Bangs & Co.'s, N. Y.

November 21. Coins, Medals, Confederate Money, Postage Stamps, etc. 406 lots. Catalogue by Dr. Geo. W. Massamore; sold at Bangs & Co.'s, N. Y.

December 15. Collection of Confederate Money, Lincoln and Garfield Mementos. Ancient and Modern Coins, etc. 528 lots. Catalogue by D. Proskey; sold at Bangs & Co.'s, N. Y.

December 15, 16. Ancient, Foreign and American Coins and Medals, various properties. 1264 lots. Catalogue by S. H. & H. Chapman; sold by Stan. V. Henkels & Co., Philadelphia.

December 16, 17, 18, 19. The Matthews Collection, and balances of Randall and Levick collections. 2536 lots. Catalogue by W. E. Woodward (80th sale); sold at Bangs & Co.'s.

December 22. The Collection of Confederate Notes and the Numismatic Collection of Dr. William Lee, Washington, D. C.; also the Collection of Fractional Currency of W. W. Flurston, Wellsville, N. Y.; Coins, Medals, etc. 986 lots. Catalogue by Ed. Frossard (48th sale); sold at Geo. A. Leavitt & Co.'s, N. Y.

813 — 1789 Similar to last. Silver; v. fine. H 167.....	5 00	on mountain in ornamental crowned shield. <i>San Luis de Potosi</i> Silver; proof. 26. H 306.....	10 00
814 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. Mercurius resting against a crowned shield, ship, etc. CONSULADO DE MEXICO. Silver; v. fine. 27. H 168.....	4 00	837 — 1790 Crowned arms and inser. in border of lilies. <i>San Luis de Potosi</i> . Silver; uncir. 22. H 307.....	3 00
815 — Same. Copper; proof.....	1 50	838 — The same. Copper; proof.....	1 25
816 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. Crowned composite shield between the pillars of Hercules. <i>Mexico</i> . Silver; uncir. 28. H 169.....	6 00	839 — 1790. Similar, but size 18. Silver; proof. H 208.....	3 00
817 — Same. Bronzed cop.; very fine.....	1 50	840 — 1700 Similar, but size 11. Silver; pr. H 210.....	1 50
818 — 1789 Busts jugata of king and queen. Rev. Minerva, seated, holding lance and resting on the arms of the university of Mexico, surrounded by books, a globe, an owl at her feet. Silver; uncir. 30. H 170.....	5 00	841 — 1791 Bust r., and shield surmounted by a helmet, etc. <i>San Miguel el Grande</i> . Bronze; fine. 30. H 212.....	2 50
819 — 1789 Crowned arms between crowned pillars. Rev. PROCLAMADO EN LA CIUDAD DE OAXACA POR EL ALFEREZ R. D. FELIPE ORDONEZ DIAZ. <i>Oaxaca</i> . Silver; fine. 18. H 174.....	2 50	842 — 1790 Bust l., and inscription. <i>Tabasco</i> . Cop.; proof. 18. H 224.....	1 50
820 — Same. Struck in cop.; uncir.....	1 00	843 — 1790 Crowned shield and inscription. <i>Tarma</i> . Silver; fine. 23. H 225...	5 00
821 — 1790 Bust r. Rev. Crowned shield, supported by eagle. <i>Orizaba</i> . Silver; proof. 25. H 175.....	7 50	844 — 1791 Bust r. Rev. Three male busts in crowned shield. <i>Valladolid de Michoacan</i> . Silver; proof. H 227.....	8 00
822 — Same. Bronzed cop.; a little corroded, but fine.....	1 00	845 — (1791) Small crowned shield and inser. <i>Valladolid de Michoacan</i> . Silver; pr. 18. H 228.....	2 50
823 — 1790 Crowned arms between crowned pillars. Rev. LA MUI LEAL VILLA D'ORIZABA, etc. Copper; proof. 22. H 176.....	1 50	846 — Same. Copper; proof.....	1 00
824 — 1790 Similar to last, but size 11. Cop.; uncir. H 178.....	75	847 — 1789 Bust r. Rev. Pillars surmounted by a tower and cross, in ornamental shield. <i>Vera Cruz</i> . Cop.; very fine. 26. H 229.....	1 50
825 — 1790 Bust r. Rev. View of city on crowned round shield. <i>Los Angeles</i> . Silver; v. fine. 30. H 188.....	7 50	848 — 1789 Similar to last, with the addition of SEBASTIAN PEREZ under bust. <i>Vera Cruz</i> . Silver; proof. 26. H 231....	7 50
826 — Same. Copper; uncir.....	1 50	849 — (1789) Bust r. Rev. Four warriors before the Virgin of Guadalupe in crowned shield, etc. Splendidly finished work by Gil. <i>Zacatecas</i> . Gilt bronze; proof. 26. H 232.....	3 00
827 — 1790 Arms between crowned pillars and inser. <i>Los Angeles</i> . Proclamation real; v. good, pierced. H 192.....	1 00	850 — 1790 Proclamation real. VIVA EL REY CARLOS IV. Rev. POR LOS PLATEROS. SPANISH AMERICA, but locality uncertain. Fair; twice pierced. H 242....	1 25
828 — (1790) Bust r. Rev. Heart-shaped shield, bearing a vase of lilies, surmounted by Papal tiara, keys crossed, etc. <i>Bishopric of Los Angeles</i> , sede-vacante. Silver; proof. 27. H 194.....	6 50	851 FERDINAND VII 1808. Tower on bridge, and inscription. <i>Betangos</i> . Silver, cast; uncir. 16. H 1.....	4 00
829 — Same. Bronze, a little corroded; very fine.....		852 — 1808 Arms crowned and monogram. <i>Madrid</i> . Silver; uncir. 16. H 2....	50
830 — 1790 Bust r. Rev. Legionary Roman soldier, representing Spain, bearing in his right the royal pennant, in his left a shield; PROCLAMADO EN LA NOBLE CIUDAD DE QUERETARO POR SU ALFEREZ R. D. PEDRO SETIEN. <i>Queretaro</i> . Silver; proof. 28. H 198.....	10 00	853 — 1808 Similar, but size 13. Silver; uncir. H 3.....	50
831 — Same. Bronze; v. fine.....	2 00	854 — 1808 Similar, but size 9. Gold; uncir. H 4.....	2 00
832 — (1790) Bust r. Radiant star over inscription. <i>Real del Catorce</i> (mines of). Silver; proof. 26. H 202.....	7 50	855 — Same. Silver; uncir.....	50
833 — (1790) Crowned arms and radiant star over inscrip., similar to last. Bronzed cop.; proof. 22. H 203.....	1 50	856 — 1809 Bust r. Rev. Lozenge-shaped shield, crowned, between two L's. <i>Valencia</i> . Silver; proof. 17. H 6.....	1 50
834 — Similar to last, but size 18. Silver; fine, pierced. H 304.....	2 50	857 — 1808 Large bust l. Rev. Indian offering a heart and the fruits of America to seated figure of Spain, lion, shield, etc. <i>Buenos Ayres</i> . Silver; uncir. 27. H 7.....	5 00
835 — The same. Copper; proof.....	1 25	858 — 1812 Small bust r. Rev. Lion rampant, supporting a shield. DOMO. MONTENO LE PROCO EN CARS CEP. 24 D. 1812. <i>Caracas</i> . Silver; v. good. 19. H 8.....	4 00
836 — 1790 Bust r. Rev. Figure of St. Louis		859 — 1808 Crowned shield between two pil-	

lars, and inscr. in wreath. <i>Chiapa</i> . Silver; nearly proof; pierced. 17. H 9		2 00
860 — Similar, but real size. H 10.....		1 50
861 — 1808 Bust r. Rev. Crowned shield. GUATEMALA AÑO 284 DE SU LEALTAD. Procl. 2 reals; fine, pierced. H 13....		2 25
862 — 1808 Procl. real, similar to last, but, INTER SUSPIRIA FIDES on rev. Good. H 15.....		1 50
863 — 1808 Real, legend on obv., FERDIN. HISP. VII, GUAT. II. Rev. Similar to last. V. good; pierced. H 16.....		1 00
864 — 1808 Arms crowned, in beaded circle, and inscription, border of lilies. <i>Jalapa</i> . Silver; proof. 21. H 23.....		5 00
865 — 1808 Similar, but size 17. Silver; proof. H 24.....		3 00
866 — 1808 Bust r., and arms crowned. Procl. 1 real. <i>Leon de Nicaragua</i> . V. fine. H 27.....		2 00
867 — 1808 Large bust r. Rev. Crowned double-headed eagle, an escutcheon on his breast, between two pillars, leaf-work on edge. <i>Lima</i> . Silver, crown size; uncir. H 28.....		4 00
868 — The same, but plain edge. Cop.: un- cir.		1 25
869 — 1808 Portrait bust nearly facing. Rev. Crowned shield supported by an Indian and eagle. Cop.: uncir. 28. H 29....		2 50
870 — 1808 Crowned shield in border of dots, and inscr. in wreath. <i>Mexico</i> . Silver; proof. 25. H 32.....		5 00
871 — Similar, but size 17. Silver; proof. H 33.....		2 00
872 — 1809 Bust l. Rev. Minerva seated, with lance and shield. Royal and Pon- tiffical University, <i>Mexico</i> . Cop.; v. fine. H 34.....		1 75
873 — 1808 Arms crowned, and inscription. <i>New Granada</i> . Silver; fine. 17. H 39		2 50
874 — 1808 Crowned arms between two pil- lars. Rev. Lion rampant in crowned shield. <i>Oajaca</i> . Silver; v. fine. 17. H 42.....		2 50
875 — 1808 Small bust r. A FERNANDO VII EL AMADO. Rev. Palm tree and inscrip- tion. Struck by Capt. D. Pedro García Aguirre, at <i>Olancho</i> . Silver; v. fine. 25. H 44.....		15 00
876 — 1808 Small bust r. TIBI FIDES, etc. Rev. City near seashore, behind which are two mountains, rising sun, etc. <i>Pop- ayan</i> . Silver; v. good. 20. H 49....		5 00
877 — 1808 Conical mountain peak surmount- ed by crowned double-headed eagle be- tween pillars. Rev. Inscr. in slender wreath; leaf-work on edge. <i>Potosí</i> . Sil- ver; uncir. 25. H 50.....		5 00
878 — 1808 Bust r. Rev. Vase of azucenas in ornamental shield. Bronze; proof. Oval. 26 x 24. H 52.....		2 00
879 — 1808 Crowned arms over trophy of arms and inscr. in slender wreath. <i>Puno</i> . Silver; proof. 16. H 56....		3 00
880 — Similar, but real size. Uncir. H 57..		1 50
881 — 1809 Small round shield crowned, and inscr. in wreath. <i>Quartilla de Ampil- pas</i> . Silver; fine. 17. Similar to H 58, except the year, which is given by him as 1808.....		3 00
882 — 1808 Crowned shield between two pil- lars, and inscr. in wreath. <i>Queretaro</i> . Silver; proof. 21. H 60.....		5 00
883 — 1808 Bust r. and inscr. Proclamation real. <i>Quezaltenango</i> . Very fine. H 64		2 00
884 — 1809 Bust r. and inscription. <i>San Francisco de Atahuaca</i> . 18. Silver; proof. H 67.....		4 00
885 — 1808 (on each side). Bust r. AÑO 1 DE SU REINA. Rev. Mountain peak in ornamental border. <i>San Salvador en Guatemala</i> . 2 real size. Silver; fine, pierced. H 74.....		2 00
886 — Similar, without date on obv. Real size. Fine, pierced. H 76.....		1 50
887 — 1808 Bust r. and inscr. Procl. real. <i>Santa Ana la Grande</i> . Uncir. H 77.		2 50
888 — 1809 Crowned arms in wreath. Rev. PROCLAMADO EN LA VILLA DE SANTI- AGO TUNTIA JURISDICCION DEL ESTADO Y MARQUESADO DEL VALLE DE OAXACA EN 21. DE ENERO DE 1809, in wreath. Silver; uncir. 24. H 82.....		10 00
889 — 1808 Small round shield, crowned, and inscr. Silver; 2 real size, proof. <i>Ta- cuba</i> . H 83.....		3 00
890 — 1808 Bust r. Rev. Legend between lion rampant and flower, etc.; leaf-work on edge. <i>Tarma</i> . Silver; nearly proof. 20. H 84.....		5 00
891 — 1808 Bust r. and crowned shield. Procl. 2 reals. <i>Trujillo</i> . Good; pierced		1 50
892 — 1808 Bust r. Rev. Three busts on ornamental crowned shield. <i>Tlaladotitl de Michoacan</i> . Silver; proof. 26. H 87.....		7 50
893 — Same, struck in copper. Uncir.....		2 00
894 — 1808 Bust r. and ornamental shield. <i>Vera Cruz</i> . Crown size; proof.....		10 00
895 — Military medal. Bust l. Rev. Female carrying medallion bust of Ferd. VII ad- vancing toward radiant temple. Solid rim to medal, guard, etc. Bronze gilt; v. fine. 34 x 32.....		2 50
896 ISABELLA II. 1834. Turretted and crowned castle gate in wreath. Rev. Rising sun. ALGERICAS. Silver; un- cir. 16. H 150.....		1 00
897 — Same. Copper; proof.....		50
898 — 1834 Crown on lance between tower and altar, etc. <i>Almansa</i> . Silver; un- cir. 12. H 2.....		1 25
899 — 1833 Crowned arms supported by grif- fins, and inscr. in wreath. <i>Barcelona</i> . Silver; proof. H 5.....		1 00
900 — 1833 Similar, but real size. Uncir. H 6.....		60
901 — Same. Copper; uncir.....		30
902 — 1833 Crowned arms. Rev. Hercules,		

- grasping one lion in each hand, advances between two pillars. *Cádiz*. Silver; proof, thick. 14. H 8..... 1 75
- 903 Same. Another, in copper; uncir..... 60
- 904 — 1833 Lozenge-shaped shield, crowned, and inscr. *Castellón de la Plana*. Silver; uncir. 13. H 9..... 1 50
- 905 — 1834 Radiant sun. EN LA PROCLAMAC. AUGUS ISABEL II. Rev. ECIA and date in wreath. LA SOCIEDAD DE AMIGOS DEL PAIS. Cop.; fine. 23. H 10.... 75
- 906 — 1833 Lozenge-shaped shield, crowned, and inscr. in wreath. *Gerona*. Silver; uncir. 15. H 11..... 1 25
- 907 — 1833 Similar, but real size. Uncir. H 12 75
- 908 — 1834 Crowned shield and crowned pomegranate between F Y, crowned. *Granada*. Silver; proof. 16. H 13.. 1 50
- 909 — 1834 Similar, but real size. Uncir. H 14 1 00
- 910 — Same, struck in cop. Uncirculated.... 30
- 911 — 1834 Similar, but medio (1-2 real) size. Proof. H 15..... 1 00
- 912 — 1833 Crowned arms and inscr. *Jacn*. Silver; uncir. 12. H 17..... 1 00
- 913 — 1833 Arms and inscr. *Madrid*. Silver; uncir. 18. H 21. (2)..... 50
- 914 — 1833 Similar. Real size. Uncir. H 22..... 50
- 915 — 1833 Similar. Medio size. Uncir. H 23 50
- 916 — 1833 Crowned arms. ELISAB. II, etc. Rev. Inscr. *Madrid*. Gold; uncir. 9. H 24..... 2 00
- 917 — 1833 Small crowned shield over walled gate, and inscr. *Mahon*. Silver; uncir. 13. H 25..... 2 00
- 918 — 1833 Crowned oblong shield and inscr. in wreath. *Manresa*. Silver; nearly proof. H 26..... 2 00
- 919 — 1833 Similar, but 1-2 real size. Fine. H 27..... 1 00
- 920 — 1833 Crowned arms and inscr. *Palma de Mallorca*. Silver; proof. 14. H 28 1 50
- 921 — 1833 Similar, but size 13 and 1-2 weight of former. Silver; proof..... 1 50
- 922 — 1833 ELISAB. II. IN PROCLAM. REGIN. Rev. Triple-turreted gates. *San Roque*. Silver; cast, uncir. 18. H 29..... 3 00
- 923 — 1833 Crowned arms. Rev. Shield of arches, surmounted by the bust of Pompeyo. *Segovia*. 15. H 30..... 1 50
- 924 — Same. Copper; uncir..... 50
- 925 — Same. Bronze; fine..... 50
- 926 — 1833 Crowned shield, surmounted by a branch of palm and inscr. *Tarragona*. Silver; nearly proof. 16. H 32..... 1 50
- 927 — 1833 Similar; real size. Uncirculated. H 33..... 1 00
- 928 — 1833 Youthful bust l. and inscr. *Tenerrife*. Silver; cast, fine. H 234..... 2 50
- 929 — 1833 Crowned lozenge-shaped shield between two L's and inscr. *Valencia*. Silver; uncir. 12. H 35. (2)a 1 25
- 930 — 1833 Crowned shield and inscr. *Zaragoza*. Silver; uncir. 16. H 36..... 1 25
- 931 — 1833 Similar: real size, fine. H 37... 75

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- 932 — 1834 Crowned shield and inscr. *Beju-cal*. Silver; fine, pierced. 13. H 40. 1 75
- 933 — 1834 Crowned shield on either side. *Guánabacoa*. Silver; reeded edge, uncir. 16. H 41..... 2 00
- 934 — 1834 Crowned shield under radiant star and inscr. *Havana*. Silver; proof. 20. H 45..... 4 00
- 935 — 1834 Similar, but size 13. Silver; proof. H 46..... 2 00
- 936 — 1834 Crowned shield bearing two Indians between palm tree. Rev. Inscr. under radiant star. *Jaraco*. Silver; uncir. 18. H 47..... 4 00
- 937 — 1834 Crowned shield, which Herrera describes as "con castillo de tres torres sobre una ballena que flotta en aguas; detras, puente de cuatro arcos," etc., but it looks more like an eagle on turreted bridge, with sea-monster in the water. Inscr. on rev. *Matanzas*. Silver; uncir. 18. H 48..... 4 00
- 938 — 1834 Crowned shield and inscr. under radiant star. *San Antonio Abad*. Silver; fine, pierced. 13. H 51..... 2 00
- 939 — 1834 Arms crowned and inscr. *Santa Maria del Rosario*. Silver; uncir., leaf-work on edge. H 53..... 2 00
- 940 — 1834 Crowned arms. Rev. Grand duke's shield bearing the cross of St. Jago, 16 stars, and 5 plants of tobacco. *Santiago de las Velas*. Silver; proof, reeded edge. 16. H 55..... 3 00
- 941 — 1834 Bust r. and inscr. VILLACLARA. Silver (?); cast, pierced, fine. 15. H 61 3 00
- 942 — Crowned arms. Rev. Crowned tower over a lion-headed fish armed with sword. PROCLA EN FILIPINAS, etc. *Manilla*. Silver; uncir. 14. H 62..... 2 50
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- 943 — 1843 Year of her majority. Youthful bust r. and crowned arms. *Barcelona*. Silver; proof, 15. H 3..... 1 25
- 944 — 1843 ISABEL II in a glory of rays, and inscr. *Cádiz*. Silver; reeded edge, uncir. 15. H 4..... 1 25
- 945 Same. Copper; uncir..... 40
- 946 — 1843 Crowned arms and inscr. *Castellón de la Plana*. Silver; fine. 11. H 5 1 50
- 947 — 1843 Head r. and six-pointed star. *Carmona*. Silver; fine. 14. H 6.... 1 50
- 948 — 1843 Head r. and inscr. *Ferrat*. Cop.; uncir. 16. H 7..... 50
- 949 — 1843 Pomegranate between F Y, three crowns above, and inscr. on rev. *Granada*. Silver; proof. 12. H 9..... 1 25
- 950 — 1843 Crowned shield and inscr. *Palma de Mallorca*. Silver; proof. 14. H 11. 1 25
- 951 — 1843 Tower with three turrets, star above, and inscr. *Puerto de San Maria*. Silver; uncir. 15. H 12..... 2 00

- 952 Same. 1843 Crowned shield and section of aqueduct surmounted by the head of Pompeyo. *Segovia*. Silver, proof. 15. H 15..... 1 00
- 953 — Same. Copper; uncir..... 50
- 954 — 1843 Head r. Rev. Heart-shaped shield between cornucopiæ, a wreath above. *Sevilla*. Silver; uncir., double thickness. 23. H 16..... 3 00
- 955 — 1843 Head r. Rev. NO DO, wreath, etc. *Sevilla*. Silver; fine. 14. H 17. 50
- 956 — 1843 Crowned shield between branches of laurel and inscr. in wreath. *Tarragona*. Silver; proof. 17. H 18..... 1 50
- 957 — 1843 Similar, but real size. Proof. H 19..... 1 25
- 958 — 1843 Crowned lozenge-shaped shield between two crowned L's and wreath. Rev. Inscription. *Valencia*. Silver; uncir. 15. H 20..... 1 25
- 959 — Same. Cop.; fine..... 40
- 960 — Same. Tin; fine..... 20
- 961 — Dragon-crested shield of arms and inscr. Provincial deputation of *Valencia*. Cop.; uncir. H 21..... 40
- 962 — Same. Brass; fine..... 25
- 963 AMADEO. Bust in high relief, nearly facing. Rev. EN 16 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 1870 in wreath, etc. *Madrid*. Bronze; proof. 29. H 1..... 2 00
- 964 MEXICO. AUGUSTIN I. 1822. Military bust r. Rev. Tree bet. two foxes (?) Proclamation peso or crown. *Gaudalaxara*. Uncir..... 7 50
- 965 — Same obv. Rev. EN SU AUGUSTA PROCLAMACION LA CATEDRAL DE GUADALAXARA, 1822, over delicate festoon of flowers. Proclamation peso, companion piece to last. Uncir..... 7 50
- 966 — 1822 Busts jugata of Augustin and wife. Rev. Figure of Faith with beacon-light and cross, in ornamented crowned shield, leaf-work on edge. *Guanajuato*. Silver; v. fine. 22..... 5 00
- 967 — 1822 Head l. and inscr. in wreath surmounted by three volcanoes in small oval shield. *Guatemala*. Procl. real. Uncir..... 1 75
- 968 — Crowned eagle grasping nopal on rock rising from the sea. Rev. MEJICO EN LA SOLEMNE PROCLAMACION DE LA INDEPENDENCIA DEL IMPERIO A 27 DE OCTUBRE DE 1821. Silver; proof. 21. 3 00
- 969 — Crowned eagle on nopal. Rev. INAUGURACION DE AUGUSTIN. PRIMER EMPERADOR DE MEXICO. JULIO 21 DE 1822, in wreath. Silver; nearly proof. 21..... 1 25
- 970 — Duplicate. Very fine..... 1 00
- 971 — 1823 Busts jugata r. Rev. Crown, sceptre, etc., on altar inscribed AL LIBERADOR A LA PATRIA, AL FUNDADOR DEL IMPERIO, AL INVITO AUGUSTIN I. EN MONUMENTO D. LEALTAD, EL CON-

- SEIO DE ESTADO; radiant eye above. Bronze; uncir. 28..... 2 50
- 972 — Military bust r. AUGUSTIN PRIMERO IMPERADOR POR LA DIVINA PROVIDENCIA. Rev. Crowned eagle on nopal and inscr. *Mexico*. Bronze; uncir. 25. 2 00
- 973 — 1822 Head l. Rev. Small lion resting against a conical mountain-peak, in wreath. Procl. real. *Leon de Nicaragua*. Uncir..... 2 00
- 974 — 1822 Head l. Rev. Two mountain-peaks in oval shield. Procl. real. *Quetzaltenango*. Fine..... 2 00
- 975 — Crowned eagle on nopal. Rev. TOLUCA EN LA FELIZ PROCLAMACION DE LA INDEPENDENCIA DEL IMPERIO MEXICANO A 12 DE MAYO D. 1822. Bronze; uncir. 22... 2 00

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- 976 1652 Oak Tree shilling. Large pl.; v. good..... 7 50
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- 985 U. S. or Bar cent. Original; uncir..... 4 00
- 986 1786 VERMONTENSIVM RESPUBLICA. Fine 1 50
- 987 VERMONT AUCTORI. Varieties (2). Lot.. 30
- 988 Connecticut. 1785 (1) and 1787. V. good: all different. 9 pcs. Lot..... 1 80
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- 990 Massachusetts cents. 1787 and '88. Good. Lot..... 60
- 991 Do. 1787. Half cent. V. fair..... 50
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- 993 Kentucky cent. Plain edge; fine..... 1 00
- 994 1783 GEORGIUS TRIUMPHO. V. fine... 1 50
- 995 1783 Washington cents. Varieties (2). Lot 60
- 996 1791 Washington cent; sm. eagle rev. Plugged; fine..... 2 50
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- 998 1795 Grate cent. (Engl. halfp. token bust of Wash.) Uncir..... 1 50
- 999 1760 VOCE POPULI half-penny. Fine... 40
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